



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicants:** Suzanne Cory, et al. **Examiner:** V. Bertoglio  
**Serial No.:** 09/508,745 **Art Unit:** 1632  
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**For:** A METHOD OF TREATMENT  
AND AN ANIMAL MODEL USEFUL  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2004, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicants submit the following amendment for entry in the above-identified case.

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